

Infinito	Verbo	Traduzione	Spiegazione
ADD	add up to something	equivalere a	equal
ASK	ask someone out	chiedere di uscire	invite on a date
ASK	ask around	chiedere in giro	ask many people the same question
BACK	back something up	fare retromarcia con veicoli	reverse
BACK	back someone up	sostenere qualcuno	support
BLOW	blow up	esplodere	explode
BLOW	blow something up	riempire qualcosa con l'aria	add air
BREAK	break down	guastarsi	stop functioning (vehicle, machine)
BREAK	break down	scoppiare a piangere	get upset
BREAK	break something down	scomporre	divide into smaller parts
BREAK	break in	irrompere	force entry to a building
BREAK	break into something	entrare con la forza	enter forcibly
BREAK	break something in	ammorbidire con l'utilizzo le scarpe	wear something a few times so that it doesn't look/feel new
BREAK	break in	interrompere	interrupt
BREAK	break up	lasciarsi	end a relationship
BREAK	break up	scoppiare a ridere	start laughing (informal)
BREAK	break out	evadere di prigione	escape
BREAK	break out in something	essere colpito da eruzione cutanea	develop a skin condition
BRING	bring someone down	buttare giù di morale	make unhappy
BRING	bring someone up	crescere qualcuno	raise a child
BRING	bring something up	parlare di un argomento	start talking about a subject
BRING	bring something up	vomitare	vomit
CALL	call around	chiamare in giro	phone many different places/people
CALL	call someone back	richiamare	return a phone call
CALL	call something off	annullare	cancel
CALL	call on someone	chiedere a	ask for an answer or opinion
CALL	call on someone	andare a trovare qualcuno	visit someone

CALL	call someone up	dare un colpo di telefono a qualcuno	phone
CALM	calm down	calmarsi	relax after being angry
CARE	not care for someone/something	non piacere	not like (formal)
CATCH	catch up	raggiungere	get to the same point as someone else
CHECH	check in	fare il check in, registrarsi, prendere possesso della camera	arrive and register at a hotel or airport
CHECH	check out	lasciare la stanza dell'albergo	leave a hotel
CHECH	check someone/something out	verificare	look at carefully, investigate
CHECH	check out someone/something	dare un'occhiata a, guardare	look at (informal)
CHEER	cheer up	tirarsi su di morale	become happier
CHEER	cheer someone up	tirare qualcuno su di morale	make happier
CHIP	chip in	intervenire, contribuire	help
CLEAN	clean something up	fare pulizia, sistemare, riordinare	tidy, clean
COME	come across something	imbattersi in qualcosa	find unexpectedly
COME	come apart	andare in pezzi	separate
COME	come down with something	prendere una malattia	become sick
COME	come forward	farsi avanti	volunteer for a task or to give evidence
COME	come from somewhere	provenire da	originate in
COUNT	count on someone/something	contare su qualcuno o qualcosa	rely on
CROSS	cross something out	cancellare	draw a line through
CUT	cut back on something	ridurre	consume less
CUT	cut something down	abbattere	make something fall to the ground
CUT	cut in	intromettersi, interrompere	interrupt
CUT	cut in	tagliare la strada	pull in too closely in front of another vehicle

CUT	cut in	entrare in azione	start operating (of an engine or electrical device)
CUT	cut something off	amputare	remove with something sharp
CUT	cut something off	staccare	stop providing
CUT	cut someone off	tagliare i ponti	take out of a will
CUT	cut something out	ritagliare, tagliare	remove part of something (usually with scissors and paper)
DO	do someone/something over	rapinare	beat up, ransack (Br.E., informal)
DO	do something over	rifare	do again (N.Amer.)
DO	do away with something	eliminare, buttare via	discard
DO	do something up	chiudere, allacciare un indumento	fasten, close
DRESS	dress up	vestirsi elegante	wear nice clothing
DROP	drop back	rimanere indietro	move back in a position/group
DROP	drop in/by/over	fare un salto, passare a trovare	come without an appointment
DROP	drop someone/something off	lasciare qualcuno o qualcosa in un posto	take someone/something somewhere and leave them/it there
DROP	drop out	lasciare, abbandonare, ritirarsi	quit a class, school etc
EAT	eat out	mangiare fuori	eat at a restaurant
END	end up	finire per	eventually reach/do/decide
FALL	fall apart	andare a pezzi, sgretolarsi	break into pieces
FALL	fall down	cadere	fall to the ground
FALL	fall out	cadere da	separate from an interior
FALL	fall out	cadere, perdere capelli o denti	(of hair, teeth) become loose and unattached
FIGURE	figure something out	comprendere, capire	understand, find the answer
FILL	fill something in	compilare	to write information in blanks (Br.E.)

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FILL	fill something up	riempire	fill to the top
FIND	find out	scoprire	discover
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GET	get something across/over	comunicare, esprimere	communicate, make understandable
GET	get along/on	andare d'accordo	like each other
GET	get around	muoversi	have mobility
GET	get away	partire, andare in vacanza	go on a vacation
GET	get away with something	farla franca, passarla liscia, cavarsela	do without being noticed or punished
GET	get back	ritornare	return
GET	get something back	riavere qualcosa indietro	receive something you had before
GET	get back at someone	vendicarsi di qualcuno	retaliate, take revenge
GET	get back into something	ritornare a, riprendere	become interested in something again
GET	get on something	salire su un mezzo di trasporto	step onto a vehicle
GET	get over something	guarire da, riprendersi da	recover from an illness, loss, difficulty
GET	get over something	superare	overcome a problem
GET	get round to something	trovare il tempo per qualcosa	finally find time to do (N.Amer.: get around to something)
GET	get together	vedersi, incontrarsi	meet (usually for social reasons)
GET	get up	alzarsi dal letto, svegliarsi	get out of bed
GET	get up	alzarsi	stand
GIVE	give someone away	rivelare	reveal hidden information about someone
GIVE	give someone away	accompagnare la sposa	take the bride to the altar
GIVE	give something away	tradire	ruin a secret

GIVE	give something away	regalare, dare via	give something to someone for free
GIVE	give something back	restituire qualcosa a qualcuno	return a borrowed item
GIVE	give in	arrendersi, cedere	reluctantly stop fighting or arguing
GIVE	give something out	distribuire	give to many people (usually at no cost)
GIVE	give something up	smettere di	quit a habit
GIVE	give up	arrendersi	stop trying
GO	go after someone	correre dietro a qualcuno	follow someone
GO	go after something	perseguire	try to achieve something
GO	go against someone	andare contro	compete, oppose
GO	go ahead	procedere	start, proceed
GO	go back	ritornare	return to a place
GO	go out	uscire	leave home to go on a social event
GO	go out with someone	uscire con qualcuno	date
GO	go over something	riesaminare	review
GO	go over	andare a trovare	visit someone nearby
GO	go without something	fare a meno	suffer lack or deprivation
GROW	grow apart	allontanarsi	stop being friends over time
GROW	grow back	ricrescere	regrow
GROW	grow up	crescere, diventare grandi	become an adult
GROW	grow out of something	non entrare più in qualcosa	get too big for
GROW	grow into something	crescere fino a qualcosa	grow big enough to fit
HAND	hand something down	lasciare, tramandare	give something used to someone else
HAND	hand something in	presentare, consegnare	submit
HAND	hand something out	distribuire, dispensare	to distribute to a group of people
HAND	hand something over	consegnare	give (usually unwillingly)
HANG	hang in	tenere duro, resistere, coraggio, forza	stay positive (N.Amer., informal)

HANG	hang on	attendere, aspettare	wait a short time (informal)
HANG	hang out	passare il tempo	spend time relaxing (informal)
HANG	hang up	riagganciare, riattacare il telefono	end a phone call
HOLD	hold someone/something back	trattenere	prevent from doing/going
HOLD	hold something back	trattenere, nascondere i sentimenti	hide an emotion
HOLD	hold on	attendere, restare in linea	wait a short time
HOLD	hold onto someone/something	mantenere, tenere stretto	hold firmly using your hands or arms
HOLD	hold someone/something up	rapinare	rob
KEEP	keep on doing something	continuare a	continue doing
KEEP	keep something from someone	mantenere nascosto	not tell
KEEP	keep someone/something out	tenere fuori, non fare entrare	stop from entering
KEEP	keep something up	mantenere	continue at the same rate
LET	let someone down	deludere	fail to support or help, disappoint
LET	let someone in	far entrare	allow to enter
LOOK	look after someone/something	prendersi cura di	take care of
LOOK	look down on someone	guardare qualcuno dall'alto in basso	think less of, consider inferior
LOOK	look for someone/something	cercare	try to find
LOOK	look forward to something	non vedere l'ora	be excited about the future
LOOK	look into something	verificare, investigare	investigate
LOOK	look out	attenzione, stai attento	be careful, vigilant, and take notice
LOOK	look out for someone/something	fare attenzione a	be especially vigilant for

LOOK	look something over	controllare, verificare, esaminare	check, examine
LOOK	look something up	cercare	search and find information in a reference book or database
LOOK	look up to someone	guardare qualcuno con ammirazione	have a lot of respect for
MAKE	make something up	inventare	invent, lie about something
MAKE	make up	fare pace	forgive each other
MAKE	make someone up	truccare qualcuno	apply cosmetics to
MIX	mix something up	scambiare, confondere	confuse two or more things
PASS	pass away	venire a mancare, morire	die
PASS	pass out	svenire	faint
PASS	pass something out	distribuire	give the same thing to many people
PASS	pass something up	rinunciare a	decline (usually something good)
PAY	pay someone back	restituire, ripagare	return owed money
PAY	pay for something	pagarla per, pagare le conseguenze	be punished for doing something bad
PICK	pick something out	scegliere	choose
POINT	point someone/something out	indicare	indicate with your finger
PUT	put something down	mettere	put what you are holding on a surface or floor
PUT	put someone down	screditare, criticare qualcuno	insult, make someone feel stupid
PUT	put something off	rimandare	postpone
PUT	put something out	spegnere, estinguere	extinguish
PUT	put something together	mettere insieme	assemble
PUT	put up with someone/something	sopportare, tollerare	tolerate
PUT	put something on	indossare, mettere	put clothing/accessories on your body

RUN	run into someone/something	incontrare qualcuno, scontrarsi	meet unexpectedly
RUN	run over someone/something	investire	drive a vehicle over a person or thing
RUN	run over/through something	riprovare, ripassare	rehearse, review
RUN	run away	fuggire, scappare	leave unexpectedly, escape
RUN	run out	finire, essere senza	have none left
SENT	send something back	rispedire indietro	return (usually by mail)
SET	set something up	organizzare	arrange, organize
SET	set someone up	incastrare	trick, trap
SHOP	shop around	guardare in giro, da vari negozianti	compare prices
SHOW	show off	vantarsi, darsi delle arie	act extra special for people watching (usually boastfully)
SLEEP	sleep over	dormire a casa di qualcuno	stay somewhere for the night (informal)
SORT	sort something out	organizzare	organize, resolve a problem
STICK	stick to something	attenersi a qualcosa, seguire rigorosamente	continue doing something, limit yourself to one particular thing
SWITCH	switch something off	spegnere	stop the energy flow, turn off
SWITCH	switch something on	accendere	start the energy flow, turn on
TAKE	take after someone	prendere da, somigliare a	resemble a family member
TAKE	take something apart	smontare	purposely break into pieces
TAKE	take something back	riportare indietro	return an item
TAKE	take off	decollare	start to fly
TAKE	take something off	togliersi, levarsi	remove something (usually clothing)
TAKE	take something out	portare fuori	remove from a place or thing
TAKE	take someone out	portare qualcuno fuori, uscire con	pay for someone to go somewhere with you
TEAR	tear something up	strappare, fare a pezzi	rip into pieces

THINK	think back	ripensare, ricordare	remember (often + to, sometimes + on)
THINK	think something over	pensare a, riflettere su	consider
THROW	throw something away	buttare via	dispose of
TRY	try something on	provare	sample clothing
TRY	try something out	provare	test
TURN	turn something down	abbassare	decrease the volume or strength (heat, light etc)
TURN	turn something down	rifiutare, respingere	refuse
TURN	turn something off	spegnere	stop the energy flow, switch off
TURN	turn something on	accendere	start the energy, switch on
TURN	turn something up	alzare, aumentare	increase the volume or strength (heat, light etc)
TURN	turn up	saltare fuori, comparire	appear suddenly
USE	use something up	finire, esaurire, consumare	finish the supply
WAKE	wake up	svegliarsi	stop sleeping
WARM	warm someone/something up	scaldare, riscaldare	increase the temperature
WARM	warm up	fare riscaldamento, riscaldarsi	prepare body for exercise
WEAR	wear off	svanire, scomparire	fade away
WORK	work out	esercitarsi, allenarsi	exercise
WORK	work out	riuscire	be successful
WORK	work something out	calcolare	make a calculation